



# *Environmental Scoping Meeting*

*Wednesday, May 31, 2017*

*6pm*

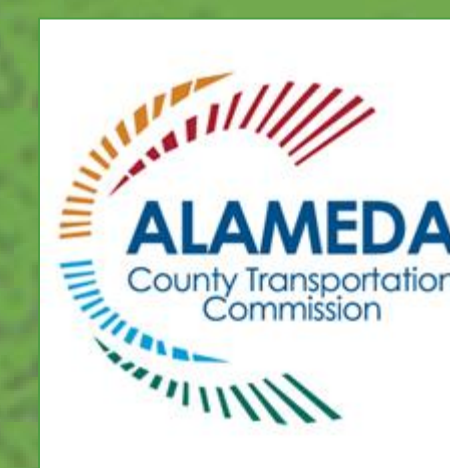
*Dublin City Hall – Regional Meeting Room*

*Dublin Boulevard-North Canyons Parkway  
Extension Project*

Lead Agency:



Responsible and Partner Agencies:



Consultant Team:





# Meeting Agenda

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1. Project Overview
2. Environmental Process
3. Public Comments on Scope of Environmental Document
4. Adjournment



# Project Overview

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# Proposed Project

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- In concert with the Alameda County and the Alameda County Transportation Commission, the City of Dublin and the City of Livermore propose a 4- to 6-lane roadway extension measuring approximately 1.5 miles, connecting Dublin Blvd to North Canyons Pkwy, between Fallon Road and Doolan Road
- Designated in City of Dublin, City of Livermore, & Alameda County General Plans
- Included in the Regional Transportation Plan (RTP or Plan Bay Area - 2013) and Alameda Countywide Transportation Plan (ID# 21473)

# Proposed Project Objectives

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- Remove a gap in local and regional transportation circulation
- Improve mobility, multimodal access, safety and efficiency for all users
- As a byproduct, relieve vehicular congestion in the region



# Proposed Project Phases

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- Preliminary Engineering (Current Phase)
- Environmental Impact Evaluation (Current Phase)
- Detailed Engineering/Additional Environmental Review (Future Phase)
- Construction (Future Phase)

# Organizational Chart

## Current Phase





# Current Project Phase Tasks

- Establish a precise alignment for a roadway extension that would connect several Priority Development Areas (PDA's) within Dublin and Livermore
- Analyze the footprint and recommend the number of travel lanes for the roadway to accommodate the long-range planning efforts identified in the Dublin, Livermore, and Alameda County General Plans, and the Plan Bay Area





# Project Vicinity

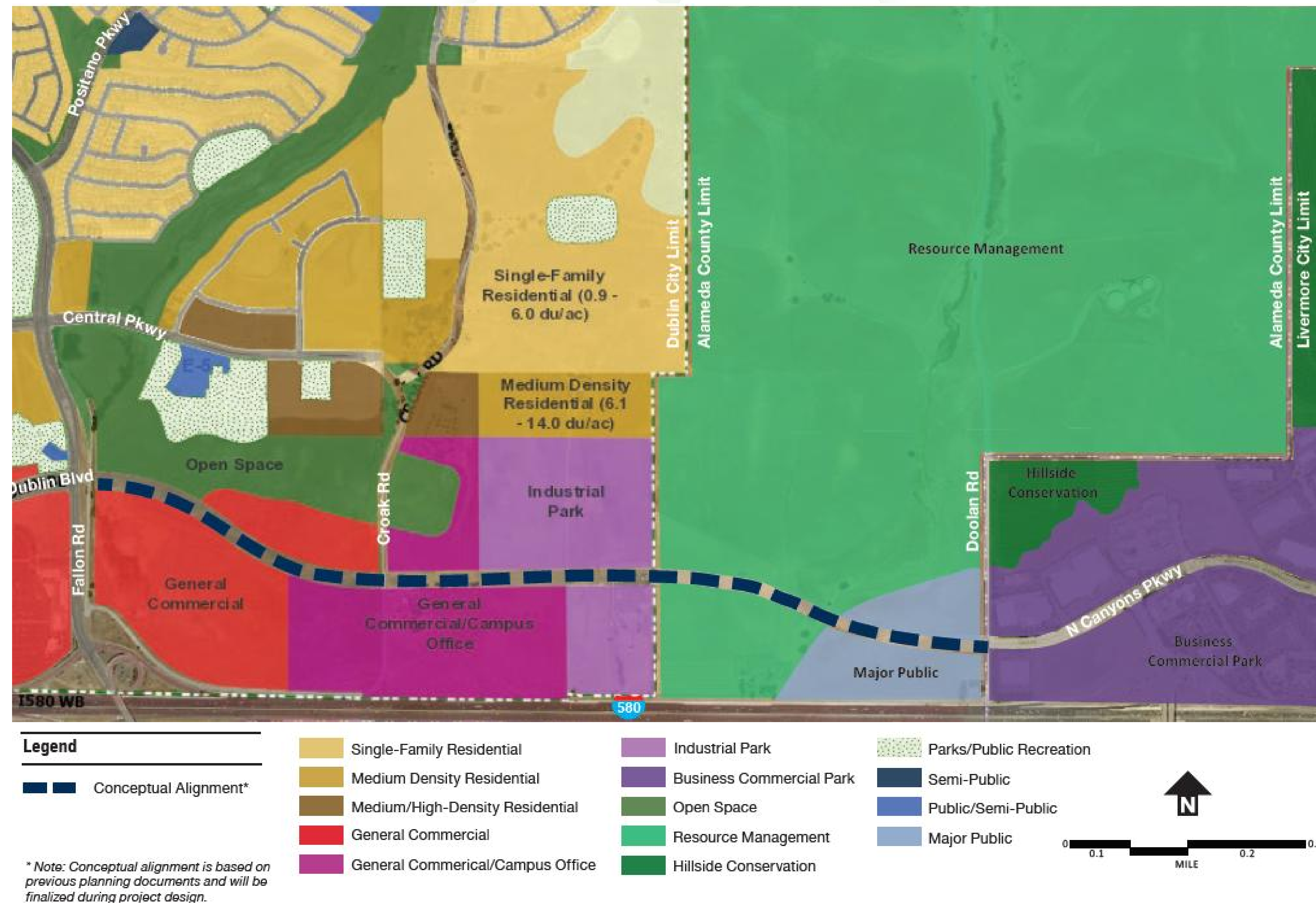


## Nearby Priority Development Areas (PDA)



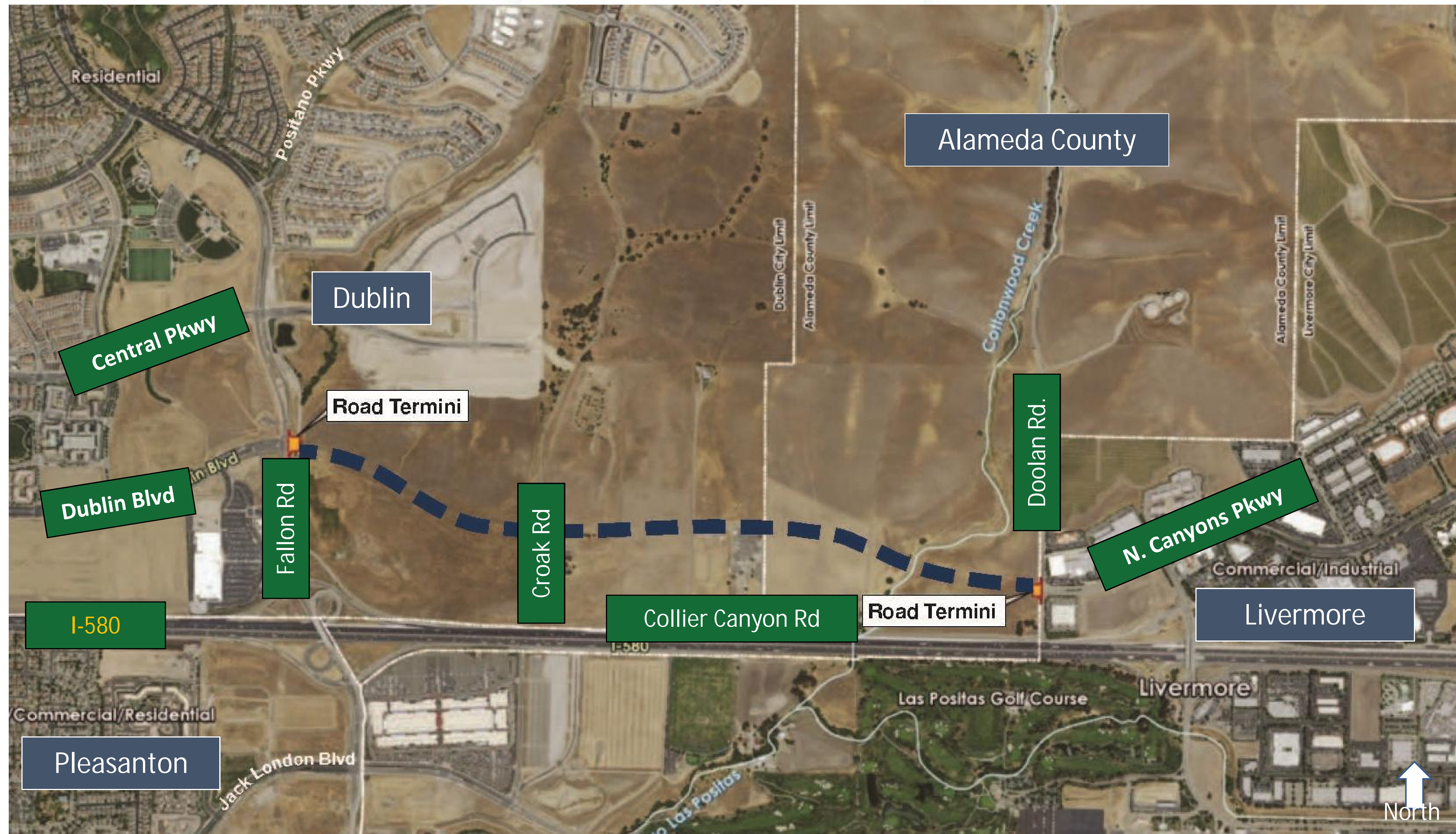


# Existing Land Use Designation (General Plan)





# Project Location/Termini



\* Conceptual Alignment is based on previous planning documents and will be finalized during project design



# Environmental Process





# What is Scoping?

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- The process of soliciting comments from the general public and public agencies at an early stage in order to identify key issues to be addressed in the environmental document.
- Scoping is an effective way to bring together and resolve concerns of interested parties.



# Objectives of the Environmental Document

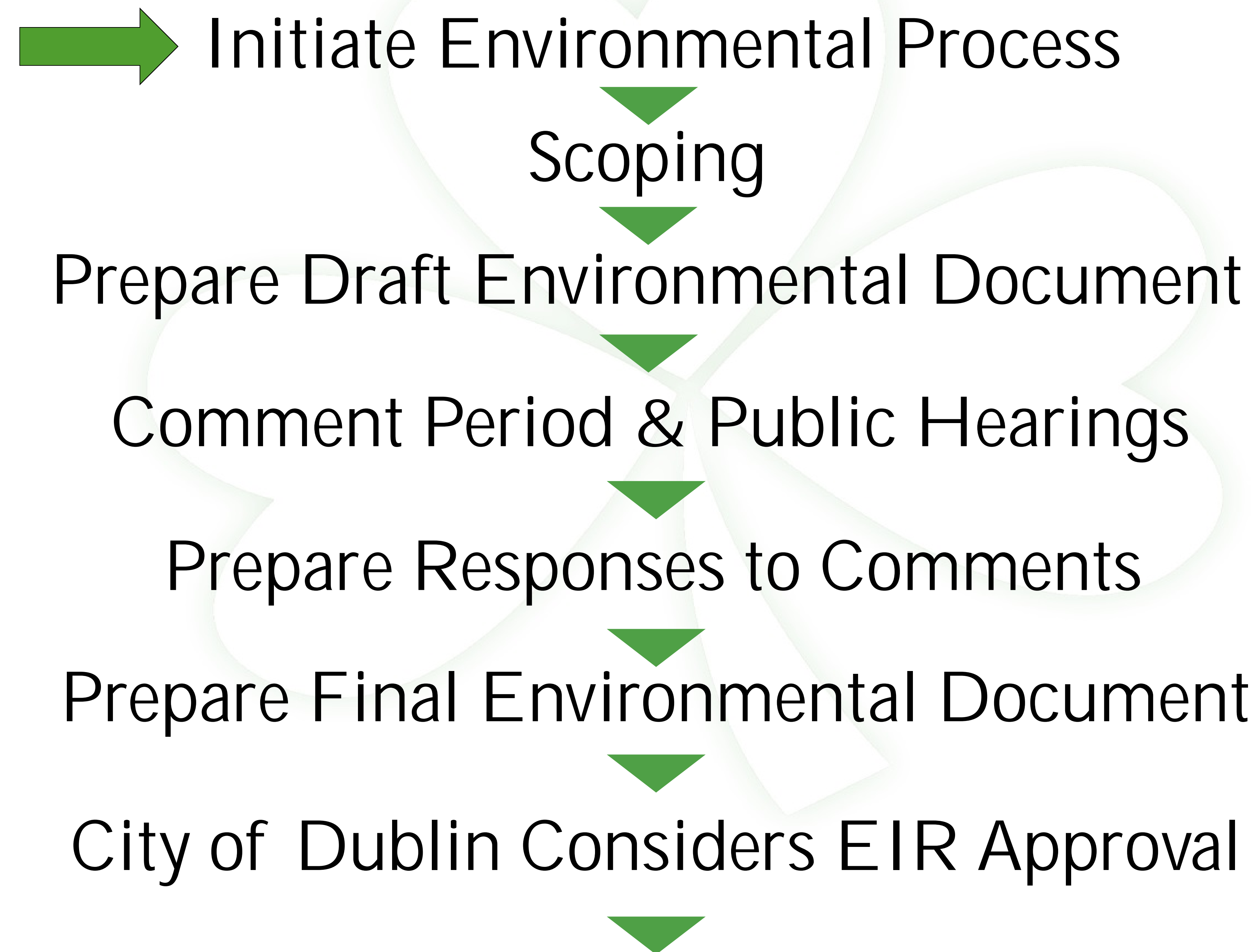
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- Document environmental impacts from project features
- Gather public input
- Coordinate with federal, state, and other agencies
- Provide decision makers with environmental information



# Environmental Review Steps

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If approved, Certification of the Environmental Document



# Environmental Analysis

## • KEY ISSUES

- Air Quality/Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Biological Resources
- Cultural Resources
- Transportation/Traffic

## • OTHER ANALYSIS AREAS

- Aesthetics
- Agriculture and Forestry Resources
- Geology/Soils
- Energy
- Hazards and Hazardous Materials
- Hydrology/Water Quality
- Land Use/Planning
- Mineral Resources
- Noise/Vibration
- Population/Housing
- Public Services/Recreation
- Utilities/Service Systems



# Transportation/Traffic

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The Transportation Analysis will inform the design of the Extension Project and identify all impacts.

- Level of Service (LOS) and Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) - Traffic is a key chapter in the CEQA EIR process and will identify LOS & VMT impacts.
- Multi-Modal Usage - Analysis will consider all modes and users of the Extension, including pedestrian, bicycle, transit and vehicles.
- Traffic Model/Forecast - Analysis will use the Alameda CTC traffic model with recent updates from the City of Dublin traffic model.
- Traffic Operational Analysis - Analysis will focus on streets, intersections and freeways in the study area with and without the Extension for the following scenarios:
  - ✓ 2017 Existing Year
  - ✓ 2025 Forecast Year
  - ✓ 2040 Design Year



# Schedule & Key Milestones

Spring/Summer 2017

Fall/Winter 2017

Spring/Summer 2018

NOTICE OF  
PREPARATION  
(NOP)/  
SCOPING  
MAY 18-JUNE 19

SCOPING  
MEETING  
MAY 31

DRAFT EIR  
PUBLICATION

PUBLIC  
CIRCULATION/  
MEETING

FINAL  
EIR

FINAL EIR  
HEARING/  
APPROVAL



# Future Milestones

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- CEQA EIR – If Approved, Certification of Environmental Document
- Precise Plan Line :
  - ✓ Conceptual Cross Section, Alignment and Profile, including Number of Lanes
  - ✓ Right of Way Requirements (R/W)
  - ✓ Projected R/W and Capital Costs for Planning and Funding Opportunities
- Council Adoption of Precise Plan Line
- Council Adoption of General Plan Amendment
  - ✓ City of Dublin
  - ✓ County of Alameda
  - ✓ City of Livermore
- Future Design and Construction (Contingent Upon Funding)



# Public Comment

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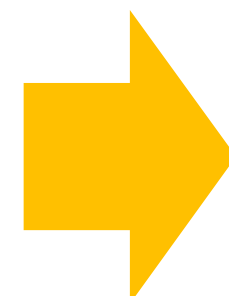
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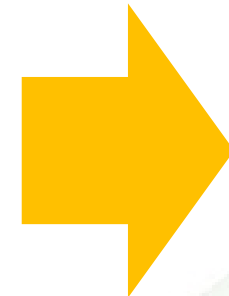
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Environmental Scoping Comments must be  
received by 5:00 pm on Monday, June 19, 2017



# 4. Adjournment

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THANK YOU!



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